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DAHLIAS

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LAUREL DAHLIA GARDENS

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1932 Introductions

THE COMMODORE, (Scott-Kemp), ID.

This dahlia is without doubt the largest dahlia we have ever grown. The stems are perfect and it is a wonderful grower and bloomer. Insect resistant and a dahlia that will win in any show for the largest flower. The buds are as large as a man's fist and we are cutting blooms that measure 13x7 inches from our plants, without any forcing whatsoever. The color is a clear sulphur yellow, without any trace of any other color. Don't overlook this dahlia as we consider it the best dahlia on the market for all purposes.

Winner of the Achievement Medal in the 1931 Baltimore Show, for the best six blooms of an undisseminated seedling.

Winner of First Prize in the undisseminated seedling class in the 1931 Red Bank, New Jersey, show.

Root—\$10.00

Plant—\$5.00

GIRL OF HILLCREST, (Scott-Kemp), ID.

A beautiful dahlia of great size and on excellent stems. A most prolific bloomer and a dahlia that will prove among the leaders for this year. The color as shown on Ridgeway's color chart is Mikado Orange and is a solid color. This dahlia has bloomed throughout the entire season and retains its huge size.

We won with this dahlia in the 1931 Baltimore show for the best three blooms of an undisseminated seedling and this class was a most hotly contested one.

This dahlia should prove most satisfactory and we are glad to be able to list it.

Root—\$10.00

Plant—\$5.00

CLAIR DE LUNE, (Cordes), ID.

We are glad to be able to introduce this wonderful dahlia for Mr. Cordes, and as we are growing it, we can assure you that you here have a dahlia that will hurry any one to beat it. This dahlia won for the largest flower in the

Los Angeles and Long Beach, California shows in 1930. The color is a clear sulphur yellow and the flower is huge. The petals twist and curl and give a most pleasing appearance. The stems are long and perfect and the plant is a strong grower. This one, is one of the earliest dahlias to bloom and there are always flowers to be cut.

We have received word from Mr. Cordes that this dahlia was awarded the American Home Achievement Medal for the Most Worthy Undisseminated Dahlia in the 1931 show of the Dahlia Society of Southern California, held in the Biltmore Hotel, Los Angeles, California. It was also one of 12 that won First for the Best Collection of Dahlias originating in California and was shown by Mr. Cordes.

Root—\$10.00

Plant—\$5.00

LAURINE STOCKWELL, (Cordes), SC.

A most beautiful dahlia that will prove to be one of the best. The color is pink with a cream center and the flower is held on strong, perfect stems, well out of the foliage. This dahlia won as best two year old seedling in the San Francisco Show in 1930, and we are going to recommend that you do not fail to grow it.

Root—\$10.00

Plant—\$5.00

EDWARD R. HUNT, (Cordes), SC.

This dahlia is just a blooming fool. Huge plants that are loaded with buds and blooms. Most prolific bloomer and starts to flower in August. The color is Fuschia and the stems are perfect. This is a large dahlia and certainly a fine one, and we are glad to be able to introduce it. The coloring is unusual and we are sure that you will be pleased with it.

Root—\$5.00

In addition to the above, we are introducing three new seedlings from Mr. Wickersham, in Urbana, Ohio, but as we do not have the names of these dahlias, we will list them and try to show them in the several shows and will be glad to furnish additional information upon request. These dahlias are listed by number only.

No. 4, (Wickersham), FD.

A dahlia that sure is some bloomer. The plants are loaded with buds and the well formed flowers are carried upon the finest of stems. The color is a pleasing yellow with slight brown shadings on the reverse, and this dahlia will grow plenty large. Our only objection to this dahlia is that it blooms too much, but that is certainly not a fault, but a virtue. If you desire a vase of flowers at any time, try this one.

Root—\$10.00

Plant—\$5.00

No. 16, (Wickersham), FD.

Another fine dahlia and a most prolific bloomer. The color is a shading of orange and yellow, but each petal looks as though it had been sprinkled with gold dust and glistens in the sun. The stems are perfect and the flower is large.

Root—\$10.00

Plant—\$5.00

No. 40, (Wickersham), FD.

A rose colored dahlia that is worthy of plenty of notice. The habits are perfect and the flower is large and insect resisting. We like this dahlia and so do all that see it.

Root—\$10.00

Plant—\$5.00

DAHLIA SEED

Here is an item that we have been most careful to omit from our list in the past, and the reason has been that we would not offer for sale anything that we were not sure of. This year we are listing seed, and we are sure that no better seed can be had at any price. Our decision has been made only after we have grown this seed for two years ourselves and have talked with several other growers that are of the same opinion. This seed is grown by Mr. Cordes of Santa Monica, California, and since we are keeping him supplied with the very finest and largest introduction from the east coast, we are sure that his seed will be the best that can be secured. We also have his assurance that his seed will run at least 80% double and in this we agree. This seed is from the very best parents and we are glad to offer it this year at the following prices:

20 Seed \$1.00 Net.

100 Seed \$5.00 Net

1000 Seed \$40.00 Net.

We advise that seed orders be placed as early as possible.

GENERAL LIST

All Varieties Marked (*) Are Honor Roll Dahlias

	Root	Plant
A. H. S. 23—FD; Canary Yellow.....	\$ 1.00	
*ALBERT H. VESTAL—ID; Old Rose	\$ 4.00	
ALI BABA—ID; Red and Orange	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
ALLADIN—FD; Gold and Amber	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
ALLA IV—FD; Cardinal Red	\$ 2.50	
AMBASSADOR—C; Yellow Buff	\$.50	
AMY MARTIN GARDIN—ID; Tyrian Rose ..	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*ANDREA ERICSON—ID; White	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
AZTEC GLORY—ID; Lemon Yellow	\$ 2.00	
*CARDINALIS—FD; Cardinal Red	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
CAPRICE—ID; Yellow Buff	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*CAPTAIN COSTE—ID; Gold	\$10.00	\$5.00
*CHARLES G. REED—ID; Petunia Red	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
CHAMPOEG—ID; Yellow and Salmon	\$10.00	\$5.00
CHEMAR'S EUREKA—FD; White	\$ 2.50	
CONGRESSMAN WOLVERTON—ID; Salmon Pink	\$ 5.00	
DR. CURTIS HOLCOMB—ID; Pink	\$ 2.00	
*DWIGHT W. MORROW—ID; Red	\$10.00	\$5.00
*EAGLE ROCK FANTASY—ID; Mallow Pink ..	\$15.00	\$7.50
*EAGLE ROCK WONDER—SC; Orange and Salmon	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
EDYTH HOLLOWAY—ID; Scarlet Red, Tipped Yellow	\$ 2.50	
*ELIZA LONDON SHEPARD—ID; Orange Gold	\$ 5.00	
F. A. VENDRELL—ID; Orange and Red	\$ 5.00	
FIRST LADY—ID; Pastal Shades	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*FORT MONMOUTH—ID; Claret	\$ 2.00	
FRANCES A. JOHNSON—ID; Rose Pink	\$ 2.50	
*FRAU O. BRACHT—C; Primrose Yellow	\$ 3.00	
FRAZIER—FD; Oriental Red Tipped Yellow ..	\$ 3.00	
FRIEDA FRANK—SC; Scarlet, Orange Reverse	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*F. W. BUTLER—FD; Bronze, Gold & Copper ..	\$10.00	\$5.00
GOLDEN GIRL—C; Golden Yellow	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*GOLD IMPERIAL—FD; Gold	\$ 4.00	
GOODNIGHT—ID; Oxblood Red	\$ 5.00	
GOV. FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT—ID; Red	\$ 5.00	
*GOV. MORGAN A. LARSON—ID; Golden Yellow	\$ 5.00	
*IMPERIAL PINK—ID; Pink, Primrose Yellow	\$10.00	\$5.00
*JANE COWL—ID; Buff and Old Gold	\$ 1.00	

	Root	Plant
*J. D. TORBERT—ID; Peach Pink.....	\$ 5.00	
*JEAN TRIMBEE—SC; Petunia Violet.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*JOSEPHINE G—SC; Rose Pink.....	\$ 5.00	
JULLINAR—FD; Lavender and Pink.....	\$10.00	\$5.00
JUNE JUSTICE—FD; Purple and Rose.....	\$ 5.00	
KARL BONAWITZ—SC; Carmine.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
KATHERINE COLE—FD; Pink and Cream.....	\$ 3.00	
KATHERINE KELLY—ID; Brownish Red.....	\$ 2.50	
*KATHLEEN NORRIS—ID; Mallow Pink.....	\$ 4.00	
KATHRYN CHARMAN—FD; Bronze & Red.....	\$ 2.50	
*KING MIDAS—ID; Golden Yellow.....	\$ 2.50	
LILLIAN'S PAL—C; Canary Yellow.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
LINCOLN G. DICKEY—ID; Primrose, Yellow and Rose.....	\$ 5.00	
*LOCHINVAR—ID; Yellow, Reverse Red.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
LOS FELIZ—ID; Red.....	\$ 3.00	
MARSHALL'S PINK—FD; Pink.....	\$ 1.50	
*MINNIE EASTMAN—SC; Flame and Yellow.....	\$ 2.00	
MISS LONGVIEW—ID; Canary Yellow and Salmon.....	\$ 2.50	
*MISS HARRIET HOCTOR—ID; Purple.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*MONMOUTH CHAMPION—FD; Orange.....	\$ 5.00	
*MRS. ALFRED B. SEAL—ID; Old Rose.....	\$ 5.00	
MRS. KENYON—ID; Salmon Pink.....	\$ 2.00	
*MRS. LOUIS F. HYDE—Watermelon Red.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
NANCY CARROLL—ID; Orange.....	\$ 5.00	
NEW GLORY—SC; Ox Blood, White Tips.....	\$ 2.50	
NORTH WEST PRIDE—ID; Apricot and Bronze.....	\$ 5.00	
NORTH'S YELLOW—ID; Sulphur Yellow.....	\$ 2.00	
OLGA MENDOSA—FD; Chrome Yellow.....	\$ 2.00	
ORIENTALE—FD; Orange and Amber.....	\$10.00	\$5.00
PACIFIC AUTUMN—ID; Autumn Shades.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*PANSY G. WHITE—SC; Clear Yellow.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*PENN CHARTER—FD; Golden Yellow and Apricot.....	\$ 4.00	
PETER PAN—FD; Pink.....	\$ 5.00	\$2.50
*PRINCE REGENT—ID; Salmon Buff and Gold.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*ROBERT E. LEE—SC; Cardinal Red.....	\$ 5.00	
ROBERT H. GROFF—ID; Lavender.....	\$ 1.25	
RUDY VALEE—SC; Yellow and Pink.....	\$10.00	\$5.00
SANTE FE—ID; Yellow.....	\$ 2.00	
*SOLLUX—FD; Yellow, Bronze Sheen.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
ST. HELEN'S MIST—FD; Pure White.....	\$ 4.00	
*SUMMERTIME—SC; Golden Yellow.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
*SUPREME GLORY—FD; Golden Yellow and Red.....	\$ 5.00	

Root Plant

*TARRYTOWN—ID; Bronze.....	\$ 4.00	
THE BELL—B; Soft Rosy Red	\$.75	
THE WORLD—FD; Rosy Magenta, Shaded Silver.....	\$ 2.50	
*THOMAS A. EDISON—FD; Royal Purple.....	\$ 5.00	
TREASURE ISLAND—FD; Autumn Shades.....	\$ 2.50	
VELVET BALL—B; Dark Maroon.....	\$.75	
VONDELL—B; Brilliant Crimson.....	\$ 1.50	
WALDHEIM GLORY—B; Golden Yellow	\$ 1.00	
*W. H. T.—FD; Begonia Rose	\$ 5.00	
*W. H. WAITE—SC; Shell Pink, Cream Center	\$10.00	\$5.00
WILLAMETTE—ID; Rose, Orange and Gold	\$ 7.50	\$3.75
WILL ROGERS—FD; Lavender and Silver.....	\$ 7.50	\$3.75

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All stock forwarded prepaid and at whatever time desired.

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